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Title:	Networking Smart Toys

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## Application Elements

1. ☒ Filing Fee

The filing fee is calculated as shown below.

Total Claims	23	-20=	3	x \$18.00=	\$54.00
Independent Claims	3	-3 =	0	x \$78.00=	
Multiple Dependent Claims				Fee:	
Basic Fee:					\$690.00
Assignment Fee					\$40.00
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Total:					\$784.00

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any overpayment to Conley, Rose, & Tayon, P.C., Deposit Account No. 03-2769/5266-  
01702/BNK.
2. ☒ Specification  
22 page(s) of specification; 4 page(s) of claims, 1 page(s) of abstract
3. ☒ Drawings  
Informal Figure(s) 1-6 on 3 sheet(s)
4. ☒ Oath or Declaration  
☒ Newly executed  
☐ Copy from a prior application (see 37 C.F.R. § 1.63(d))  
Deletion of Inventor(s) (in continuation or divisional applications):  
☐ Delete the following inventor(s) named in the prior non-provisional application:  
  
                      
☐ The inventor(s) to be deleted are set forth on a signed sheet attached hereto.
5. ☐ The entire disclosure of the prior application referred to above is considered to be part of the  
accompanying application and is hereby incorporated by reference herein.

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6. ☐ Microfiche Computer Program (Appendix)  
7. ☐ Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission (if applicable, all necessary)  
☐ Computer Readable copy  
☐ Paper Copy (identical to computer copy)  
☐ Statement verifying identity of above copies  
8. ☒ Assignment Papers  
9. Power of Attorney  
☒ Is attached.  
☐ The power of attorney appears in the original papers of the prior application.  
☐ Since the power does not appear in the original papers, a copy of the power in the prior application is enclosed.  
10. ☐ Information Disclosure Statement (IDS)  
☐ Copies of IDS Citations  
11. Amendments  
☐ A preliminary amendment is enclosed.  
☐ Cancel in this application claim(s) \_\_\_\_\_ before calculating the filing fee. At least one independent claim is retained for filing purposes.

☒ Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence: This application claims the benefit of U.S. Provisional Application No. 60/137,616 entitled "Networking Smart Toys", filed June 3, 1999.

12. ☒ Return Receipt Postcard  
13. Small Entity Status  
☐ A small entity statement is enclosed.  
☐ A small entity statement was filed in the prior non-provisional application and such status is still proper and desired.  
☐ Is no longer claimed.  
14. ☒ Priority of provisional application number 60/137,616 filed on June 3, 1999 is claimed under 35 U.S.C. §§ 119(a)-(e)  
15. ☐ Petition under 37 C.F.R. § 136 for Extension of Time  
16. ☐ Other: \_\_\_\_\_

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